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COUNTRY Czechoslovakia REPORT 50X1-HUM

TOPIC Infantry Battalion, Prague

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REMARKS

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1. Superior Headquarters: Hq 1st MD3. Quarters and organization:

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1st Co, 2d Co and 3d Co in the Motol Barracks. 4th Co and Hv Lpn Co (with horses) in the Motol Castle (the 4th Co was scheduled to be transferred to the Motol Barracks). SMG Co. (and military post headquarters) in the barracks on the Square of the Republic (this barracks was allegedly to be vacated for S&B troops). Ordnance shops (including personnel detached by the battalion) in the Vrsovice Barracks.

4. Officers:

CO: Maj Kotek

C/S: Staff Capt Fehacek, who was to be replaced by Staff Capt Krenak, CO of the 1st Co

DOZ Officer: Staff Capt Borsky

Education Officer: 1st Lt Grabenec.

5. Designations of component units:

In addition to their numbers, the companies were designated by the following letters:

1st Co	P
2d Co	N
3rd Co	V
4th Co	K
5th Co	S.

6. Strength:

12 to 15 officers and about 500 EM (estimated).

7. Training: The battalion was in Milovice (O 51/C 00) during theCLASSIFICATION ~~SECRET~~ CONTROL/US OFFICIALS ONLY

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basic training period and then moved back to its permanent quarters in Prague.

2. Employment:

Furnishing guards for the following installations: **

Kotel Barracks
Kotel Castle
Barracks on Square of the Republic (Jirino z Podebrad)
Stefanik Barracks
Military Prison and Hradcany Jail
Hradcany Hospital
Stresovice Hospital

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** The reported employment indicates that the battalion is still assigned to guard duty at the Prague military post.

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